

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2023 9:30 A.M.  
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

**ORGAN PRELUDE**

Rosalyn Baker

**BLOWING OF THE CONCH SHELL**

**PROCESSION**

**GREETINGS AND ALOHA**

Liturgist Sherry Langille

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The God of all creation makes us one body.

People: **LET US JOIN HEARTS AND VOICES IN PRAISE.**

Leader: In Jesus Christ, we are made one in the Spirit.

People: **LET US BE UNITED IN TRUTH THROUGH THE SAME ONE SPIRIT.**

Leader: We practice our faith in many different ways.

People: **YET WE CONFESS ONE LORD JESUS CHRIST.**

Leader: We render different forms of ministry.

People: **YET OUR CALLING IS ONE BECAUSE CHRIST IS UNDIVIDED.**

**All: REJOICE, THE RISEN CHRIST IS AMONG US, CALLING US TOGETHER IN WORSHIP.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE**

How Great Thou Art

UMH 77

**PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**THE SHARING OF OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

Leader : Lord in your mercy  
ALL : HEAR OUR PRAYERS



**UNISON PRAYER**

**GRACIOUS GOD, YOU SPOKE YOUR WORD AND REVEALED YOUR GOOD NEWS IN JESUS CHRIST. FILL ALL CREATION WITH THAT WORD AGAIN SO THAT BY PROCLAIMING YOUR JOYFUL PROMISES TO ALL NATIONS AND SINGING ABOUT YOUR BRIGHT HOPE TO ALL PEOPLE, WE MAY BECOME ONE BODY AS YOUR INCARNATE PRESENCE ON THE EARTH. AMEN.**

**PRAYER RESPONSE "Queen Liliuokalani's Prayer"**

**O kou aloha no. Aia i ka lani. A'o Kou 'oia i'o. He hemolele ho'i. Amene (Your loving mercy is in heaven, and your truth so perfect. Amen.)**



**THE READING FROM THE SCRIPTURES**

**FIRST READING**

Isaiah 9 : 1-4

**SECOND READING**

Matthew 4 : 12-23

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.  
People: **THANKS BE TO GOD!**



**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH : THE APOSTLE’S CREED, ECUMENICAL VERSION # 880**

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and will come again to judge the living and the dead.**



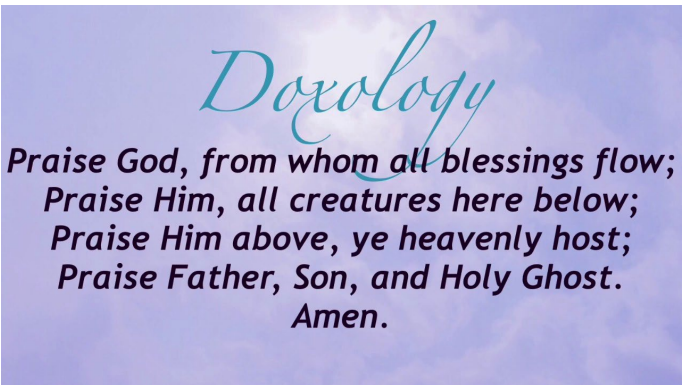
**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**(\*\* universal)**

**GLORIA PATRI UMH 70**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER Pastor John Crewe**

**CHOIR OFFERING LUMC Tongan Choir**



**HYMN OF PREPARATION When I Survey the Wonderful Cross UMH 298**

**SERMON SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 1 : 10-18**

**MESSAGE “Unity Through Christ” Pastor John Crewe**

**MINISTRY UPDATES**



**CLOSING HYMN We Are the Church UMH 558**

**BENEDICTION**

**CIRCLE OF OHANA "HAWAII ALOHA" (Rev. Lorenzo Lyons)**

**E Hawai'i e ku'u one hanau e, Ku'u ho-me kulaiwi nei. Oli no au i na pono lani ou,  
E Hawai'i, aloha e. E hau'oli na `opio o Hawai'i nei. `Oli e! `Oli e! Mai na aheahe  
makani e pa mai nei. Mau ke aloha, no Hawai'i.**

**(O Hawai'i, O sands of my birth, My native home. I rejoice in the blessings of  
heaven, O Hawai'i, aloha. Happy youth of Hawai'i, Rejoice! Rejoice! Gentle  
breezes blow. Love always for Hawai'i.)**



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